of seats in the colleges of the University in various undergraduate courses for the current academic session is only 43,321, the remaining students have the option of being enrolled in the non-formal stream, which has an intake capacity of more than 70,000 students. There is no difference between formal and non-formal streams in terms of curriculum and the degrees awarded.

Anganwadi centres

638. SHRI A. VIJAYARAGHAVAN: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Supreme Court ordered that the number of anganwadi centers administering the Integrated Child Development Scheme to be increased from 600,000 to 1.4 million;

(b) if so, the number of anganwadi covered under the Integrated Child Development Scheme and the grant sanctioned for construction of kitchen sheds for cooking as on today, State-wise, category-wise;

(c) whether the Supreme Court, during year 2001, directed all the States to introduce a Mid-Day Meal Scheme for the student in Government and Government aided schools; and

(d) if so, the number of the schools, students covered under the Mid-Day Meal scheme during the last three years, year-wise, category-wise and State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KANTI SINGH): (a) The Supreme Court, vide its order dated 29.4.2004, has directed the Government of India to file an affidavit stating the period within which it proposes to increase the number of Anganwadi Centres (AWCs) so as to cover 14 lakh habitations.

(b) State-wise number of sanctioned and operational AWCs under the ICDS Scheme is given in the statement annexed and marked as Annexure-I.

There is no provision for construction of kitchen sheds for cooking under the ICDS Scheme. However, construction of 8816 AWCs has been sanctioned under the World Bank-assisted Project, the State-wise break-up of which is given in the Statement annexed and marked as Annexure-II.

Estimated cost of these AWCs is Rs. 1.25 lakh per Centre, which is borne by the Central Government and State Government in the ratio 75:25.

Construction of Anganwadi Centres has also been sanctioned for NE States, including Sikkim as a special case, State-wise details of which are given in the statement annexed and marked as Annexure-lll. Estimated cost of these AWCs is also Rs. 1.25 lakh per Centre, which is entirely funded by the Government of India.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) The information is given in the enclosed statement I to IV.

Statement-I

State-wise Number of sanctioned and operational Anganwadi Centres under the ICDS as on 31.3.2004.

Sl.No.	State/UT	No. of Anganwadis	
		Sanctioned by GOI	Operational
1	2	3	4
1.	Andhra Pradesh	54312	53564
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	2359	2286
3.	Assam#	25416	25302
4.	Bihar	60813	24871
5.	Chhattisgarh	20289	20277
6.	Goa	1012	1012
7.	Gujarat	37961	35441
8.	Haryana	13546	13546
9.	Himachal Pradesh	7354	7354
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	11821	10227
11.	Jharkhand	15505	14967
12.	Karnataka	40301	40301
13.	Kerala	25393	24415
14.	MadhyaPradesh	49784	48824

1	2	3	4
15.	Maharashtra	62716	58109
16.	Manipur	4501	4499
17.	Meghalaya	2218	2217
18.	Mizoram	1361	1341
19.	Nagaland	2770	2770
20:	Orissa	34201	34201
21.	Punjab	15829	14016
22.	Rajasthan	35821	35686
23.	Sikkim	500	500
24.	Tamil Nadu	42377	30059
25.	Tripura	3786	3692
26.	Uttar Pradesh	103104	75005
27.	Uttaranchal	6378	5924
28.	West Bengal	57540	53354
29.	A & N Islands	527	429
30.	Chandigarh	300	300
31.	Delhi	3902	3842
32.	Dadra & N Haveli	138	138
33.	Daman & Diu	87	87
34.	Lakshadweep	74	74
35.	Pondicherry	677	677
	All India	744673	649307

#Operational as on 30.11.2003.

Statement-It

State-wise No. of AWCs sanctioned for construction under World Bank assisted projects

Sl. No.	Name of the State	No. of AWCs for construction of which funds have been released
1.	Kerala	1600
2.	Maharashtra	4453
3.	Rajasthan	3333
4.	Tamil Nadu	82
5.	Uttar Pradesh	4548
6.	Bihar	1430
7.	Chhattisgarh	405
8.	Jharkhand	581
9.	Madhya Pradesh	1445
10.	Orissa	1863
11.	Uttaranchal	950
12.	Gujarat	800
13.	West Bengal	983
14.	Kamataka	650
15.	Haryana	408
16.	Jammu & Kashmir	425
17.	Punjab	500
18.	Andhra Pradesh	8816

Statement-III

State-wise No. of AWCs sanctioned for constmction in NE States and funds released

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl. No.	State	No. of AWCs sanctioned for construction in 2001-02 and 2002-03	Funds released
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	910	1900.00
2.	Assam	7090	11535.00
3.	Manipur	1315	2053.125
4.	Meghalaya	700	1118.75
5.	Mizoram	420	800.00
6.	Nagaland	710	1275.00
7.	Tripura	1160	2250.00
8.	Sikkim	95	140.625

Statement-IV

State-wise and category-wise number of students and schools covered (both where cooked meal is served as well as foodgrains is distributed) during 2001-02 to 2003-04 under Mid-day Meal Scheme.

Sl. No.	States/UTs	Coverage during 2001 -02@				Coverage during 2002-03				Coverage during 2003-04			
		Students	Schools	SCs	STs	Students	Schools	SCs	STs	Students	Schools	SCs	STs
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1.	Andhra Pradesh	7758454	61246			7456254	68730	1698536	829847	7717673	71749	1157639	69458
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	143500	1771			166637	1289	292	82641	181606	1729	217	27774
3.	Assam	3057221	30650			3149361	30650	N.A.	N.A.	3210526	42199	273534	457439
4.	Bihar	7252547	48943			8095780	50405	1425051	93450	8868044	62399	1502612	96766
5.	Chhattisgarh	2717758	28988			2889116	29122	429410	866761	2828582	29662	414658	890657
6.	Goa	80284	1200			68878	1126	816	15	69647	1160	998	8
7.	Gujarat	4856615	32347			3259341	29391	354239	73651	3004496	29131	357236	707964
8.	Haryana	1617412	8840			1538006	8041	597117	0	1578538	8995	508733	0
9.	Himachal Pradesh	668604	10517			639974	10282	287525	70458	614847	10599	202601	31129
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	716592	9345			821890	9730	12178	40428	738777	9730	12178	40428
11.	Jharkhand	2085571	5127			2254066	19436	N.A.	N.A.	2254066	19436	0	0
12.	Kamataka	5585159	52088			5621960	44108	1177411	442924	5349540	44036	1129913	441635
13.	Kerala	2334680	11265			2355686	11514	239908	28126	2166510	11330	234520	34751
14.	Madhya Pradesh	7482769	78653			7579750	79936	1436571	1620062	7729652	86191	1589610	1840828
15.	Maharashtra	10125032	71056			9930938	74591	1445355	1378455	9721167	82941	1476344	1131515
16.	Manipur	279648	3007			287506	2992	7182	**141317**	296211	30278	038 146380	

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
17.	Meghalaya	419112	4451			434702	5662	N.A.	N.A.	485980	6213	26511	460469
18.	Mizoram	98239	1181			93608	1175	1193597	94042	1266	9	94033	
19.	Nagaland	159664	2177			159664	2177	N.A.	N.A.	173598	1654	0	173598
20.	Orissa	4423250	41467			4621934	42655	983144	1047250	4631826	51931	984064	1141792
21.	Punjab	1659750	13084			1620811	13129	868429	0	1559682	13237	874903	0
22.	Rajasthan	6221663	55042			7177718	73061	13594317	678153	737081	813451	1070116	
23.	Sikkim	80670	740			77033	745	4621	8487	76828	739	0	0
24.	Tamil Nadu	5800543	36533			5401644	36620	1544513	87262	5529945	38174	1352853	65439
25.	Tripura	474655	3018			459981	2951	88780	152630	453854	3039	86333	150507
26.	Uttaranchal	763093	10944			821507	11368	83411	20344	787193	11331	218805	16449
27.	Uttar Pradesh	15837747	83557			14855697	86173	4683007	7223	16374892	98205	5562959	15990
28.	Wast Bengal	9581419	58595			10563148	53377	2329642	540608	10268683	62410	2656265	693260
29.	A&N Island	38461	314			35886	313	0	3088	35179	313	0	2949
30.	Chandigarh	18662	36			41720	214	N.A.	N.A.	42520	106	11562	0
31.	D&N Haveli	25807	177			26004	190	N.A.	N.A.	29480	209	558	24338
32.	Daman & Diu	15124	93			15214	82	618	2427	15163	82	580	2126
33.	Delhi	1010533	2232			1010919	2282	191244	203	1036711	2305	166773	2760
34.	Lakshadweep*												
35.	Pondicherry	62349	411			62349	411	24046	0	62349	366	13803	0
	Total	103452587	769095			103594682		803928	21272488	9244723	105665960	879602	22638260	9830558

***Exempted, as UT of Lakshadweep is running its own mid-day meal programme.**
Source: As communicated by States/UTs
©Category-wise (SC/ST) data were not maintained by the Ministry prior to 2002-03.